

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

TRANSPORTATION
Senator Latvala, Chair
Senator Evers, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, April 5, 2011

TIME: 10:15 a.m.—12:15 p.m.

PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Office Building

MEMBERS: Senator Latvala, Chair; Senator Evers, Vice Chair; Senators Benacquisto, Bullard, Garcia, Joyner, and Storms

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 1912 Evers (Similar H 1263)	Trucking; Cites this act as the "Small Trucker Relief Act." Provides for the county tax collector to act as an agent of the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles for the issuance of certain commercial driver's licenses and registration tags. Exempts trucks owned by small trucking firms from laws that prohibit idling. Provides for a waiver from the Department of Environmental Protection exempting such firms from rules and regulations restricting truck washing. Provides such firms with a tax credit for the costs of idling, etc. TR 03/29/2011 Not Considered TR 04/05/2011 Fav/CS EP BC	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0
2	SB 1190 Detert (Identical H 1165)	Driver's Licenses and Identification Cards; Provides for a person's status as a veteran to be indicated on his or her driver's license or identification card upon payment of an additional fee and presentation of the person's Form DD 214. MS 03/30/2011 Favorable TR 04/05/2011 Favorable BC	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0
3	SB 1530 Altman (Identical H 515)	Driver's Licenses; Creates the "Mature Drivers Act." Revises age requirements for issuance of driver's licenses. Amends provisions relating to reporting of licensed driver's or applicant's mental or physical disability to drive or need to obtain or wear a medical identification bracelet and restriction of the driving privilege of a person who has accumulated six or more points within a 12-month period. Revises age requirements for issuance of learner's driver's licenses, etc. TR 04/05/2011 Temporarily Postponed BC	Temporarily Postponed

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4	SB 2012 Braynon (Identical H 1455)	Specialty License Plates; Creates the Go Green license plate. Establishes an annual use fee for the plate and provides for the distribution of use fees received from the sale of the plate. TR 04/05/2011 Temporarily Postponed EP BC	Temporarily Postponed
5	SB 2036 Braynon (Similar H 1377, H 1461)	Uniform Traffic Control; Authorizes school districts to deploy school bus traffic infraction detectors under certain circumstances. Provides for use of school bus traffic infraction detectors to enforce specified provisions requiring a person driving a vehicle to stop when approaching a school bus displaying a stop signal. Authorizes the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, a county, or a municipality to authorize a traffic infraction enforcement officer to issue and enforce a citation for a violation of such provisions, etc. TR 04/05/2011 Favorable ED BC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 1
6	CS/SB 1124 Education Pre-K - 12 / Montford (Similar H 109)	Public School Buses; Provides for district school board policies that authorize commercial advertisements on school buses. Provides policy requirements relating to reimbursement to the school district, prohibited advertisements, and signage and equipment standards. Requires a school bus to be withdrawn from use under certain circumstances. Provides for the remittance and allocation of revenue. ED 03/23/2011 Fav/CS TR 04/05/2011 Temporarily Postponed BC	Temporarily Postponed
7	SB 904 Dean (Identical H 431)	Driver's Licenses and Identification Cards; Requires that the application form for an original, renewal, or replacement driver's license or identification card include an option to make a voluntary contribution to Disabled American Veterans, Department of Florida. Provides that such contributions are not income of a revenue nature. MS 03/23/2011 Favorable TR 04/05/2011 Favorable BC	Favorable Yeas 6 Nays 0

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8	CS/SB 1824 Regulated Industries / Hays (Compare CS/H 63, CS/CS/H 883, CS/H 5007, CS/S 366, CS/S 476)	Regulated Professions and Occupations; Authorizes the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to release certain digital images to the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to identify certain persons. Authorizes the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to grant waivers of renewal fees under certain circumstances. Revises continuing education requirements for certain license reactivations. Repeals provisions relating to Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice, etc RI 03/29/2011 Fav/CS TR 04/05/2011 Fav/CS BC	Fav/CS Yeas 6 Nays 0